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## FIRST REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

It is respectfully requested that the time for replying to the Office Action dated February 16, 1979, now set to expire May 16, 1979, be extended one month to expire June 16, 1979.

The rejections involved in the above-identified case have required time-consuming correspondence with principals abroad and, to date, it has not been exactly determined how further prosecution should be effected. It is expected,

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however, that an appropriate amendment can and will be filed within the extended time now being requested. This request is being made, not for purposes of delay, but because of the exigencies of the situation.

Respectfully submitted,
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